

Semester	Action	Deadline
After joining the Honors College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contemplate Capstone ideas freely—think about the classes you have taken and professors' research you have found exciting, among others. Talk with professors/advisors, or anyone you can share ideas with, to sharpen your mind. 	
Spring of Junior Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss Capstone ideas with Honors College Fellow or other professors/advisors. Find Capstone Supervisor and develop preliminary Capstone ideas. Become familiar with possible IRB requirements. 	
Fall of Senior Year (first semester)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with Capstone Supervisor to develop project proposal including format of written and public presentation portions. Verify IRB requirements with Capstone Supervisor and submit IRB review, if applicable. Register for HON 322 and any applicable Independent Study/Thesis/Research course. Submit Agreement Form signed by Capstone Supervisor <u>and</u> Fellow. <p><i>Continue working on Capstone Project and check in with Capstone Supervisor regularly for feedback and guidance.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Submit Progress Report Form signed by Capstone Supervisor indicating progress made to date. 	<p>End of Week 2 via my.uic.edu</p> <p>End of Week 3</p> <p>End of Week 15</p>
Spring of Senior Year (second semester)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Register for HON 322 and any applicable Independent Study/Thesis/Research course. Submit an Agreement Form signed by the Capstone Supervisor <u>and</u> Fellow. This form should include (1) a review of the project proposal in light of work completed the previous semester; and (2) an updated proposal. 	<p>End of Week 2 via my.uic.edu</p> <p>End of Week 3</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure registration (and/or submission of abstract) of the public presentation event, based on its venue. • Submit a written final draft of Capstone Project to Capstone Supervisor and Fellow for feedback. • Present Capstone Project in an appropriate venue. • Provide Fellow and Capstone Supervisor with final version of written portion for review and approval. • Submit Capstone Completion Form signed by Fellow and Capstone Supervisor. Also submit a copy of the written portion and a copy of the poster, if applicable. • Attend Honors College Convocation! 	<p>As an example, UIC Student Research Forum abstract submissions are due in late March.</p> <p>Late March--at least one month before submitting Completion Form and written portion of Capstone to the Honors College to allow time for revision.</p> <p>As an example, UIC Student Research Forum in mid-April.</p> <p>Mid-April</p> <p>End of Week 15</p> <p>Wednesday of</p> <p>Finals Week</p>
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